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## WOULD ELIMINATE FLOATING VOTE

Clark County Grand Jury to Probe Recent Primary.

Panel to Thoroughly Investigate All Violations of Election Laws.

Winchester, Ky., Sept. 10.—The historic Clark county courthouse was the scene today to the first steps toward eliminating the Kentucky "floaters" from elections for all time to come. Judge James Benton, the pioneer clean-election Judge of the State, read an exhaustive charge to the grand jury, which for thoroughness and a keen knowledge of what must be done has never been equalled in the old Commonwealth nor any other State in the Union.

The courthouse was packed, many coming for miles to hear it. In this district are the counties of Madison, Jessamine and Powell, in addition to Clark, and the charge will be delivered to them in turn, as this is the first court since the August primary. Judge Benton said in part:

Gentlemen: I come now to the most important duty I shall ask you to perform, and in my judgment it is the most important duty ever imposed upon a grand jury in this country.

That duty is to vigorously, thoroughly, courageously and impartially investigate all matters in connection with the primary election that was held in this county on the 2d day of last August.

I will say to you candidly that I do not believe there has ever been a thorough investigation of an election by any grand jury in Kentucky, but I have been for months and months promising the people of Clark county and of the other counties of this judicial district that the grand juries impaneled in this district this fall would be called upon to investigate this election, and that the investigation would be complete and thorough, and that the offenders, the violators of the law, would be indicted; and it is that duty that I want now to urge upon you with all the power and earnestness I possess.

If you wonder why I emphasize this matter, let me tell you and try to burn it into your very being that it means more for the moral uplift of the citizenship of your county than anything else you can possibly do.

Do you realize that it is common talk that one-third of the voting population of your county is purchaseable? I truly hope that the percentage is not that large, but many of your citizens who are better informed on the question than I am insist that that estimate is too low. Regardless of what the actual figures are, I know, and you know, that the percentage of purchasable votes is already alarmingly high, and that it is increasing with appalling rapidity. Every hotly contested primary election breeds a new crop and starts a new strain.

Do you know that this pernicious traffic in votes has grown from nothing to its present proportions during the last seventy-five years?

I doubt not that there are men living in this county today who can remember when there was not a "floater" in their neighborhoods, and I am sure that there are scores of middle-aged men in this county whose fathers have told them that in their early days such a thing as a man selling his vote was never heard of in this county.

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The responsibility for letting this evil, this crime, grow and become fixed on our people, rests upon the last generation and ours, and if it is to be stopped, the task is yours and you must meet it now. If you shove away and stave off the meeting and settling of this question you only shove your children and your children's children into the mud which you have side-stepped and refused to clean up. Are you the kind of men to do that? It is up to you gentlemen to take the first legal step towards cleansing Clark county of this festering sore that is feeding on our body-politic, and is eating more ravenously every year. You are the surgeons. Will you cut it out? The operation must be performed here at home, and the patient has selected you to perform it.

The duty is yours to stop this traffic in votes and to stop it now. The people do not expect you to temporise with the question, you can't afford to do that, and I don't believe you want to do it.

The law is ample if you will only apply it, and I am confident you will do that.

I have stated repeatedly during the last three months that if there should be any violations of the law in this primary election, this grand jury would probe them to the bottom and indict all offenders. When I made that statement I did not remember just who would compose the grand jury, but I had told the one perform, and in my judgment it is the most important duty ever imposed upon a grand jury in this country.

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## FATAL RAILROAD TO BE THE SAFEST

Six and a Half Million Dollars Will be Spent on N. Y., N. H. and Hartford Line.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 8.—The New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad is to be made the safest railroad in the United States so Howard Elliott, its newly-elected head, declared in a statement issued to-night, consequential to the closing day of the Interstate Commerce Commission's investigation into the wreck of last Tuesday.

All sleeping cars will be of steel before January 1 if the Pullman Company can furnish them, and rush orders have been sent to other builders who now have steel cars, calling for the expenditure of \$6,500,000, according to the statement.

Orders also have been given, the statement said, to rush work on the new signal system to replace the old "banjo" type. Three hundred and sixty-five thousand was voted yesterday, Mr. Elliott announced, by the road's executive committee.

J. P. Morgan, whose firm severed its fiscal relations with the road yesterday, will continue as a director of the road, Mr. Elliott said.

## MEXICAN SHOT BY U. S. OFFICIAL

Drunken Lieutenant Trying To Cross Bridge.

Two Troops of U. S. Cavalry are Ordered to Bridge Following Shooting.

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 6.—Lieut. F. Acosta, an officer in Gen. Salazar's federal command at Juarez, crossed the Stanton-street International bridge this afternoon and was killed by United States Customs Inspector T. F. Jonah and Immigration Inspector Thomas N. Heffron, after he had opened fire on them with a rifle. The American officers were uninjured. Before crossing the bridge the Mexican had remarked he was "going to kill a gringo."

Heffron was standing at the American end of the bridge when Acosta first opened fire at him. He fired back, using an automatic pistol. Jonah hastened to his assistance and began firing at the Mexican. The Mexican was within thirty feet of the Americans before he was killed. Two troops of the Thirteenth cavalry were ordered to the bridge following the shooting to restrain 1,000 Mexicans who had gathered on the Mexican side of the bridge.

A bitter anti-American feeling was manifested by Salazar's troops following the shooting. Americans have reported being threatened. Inspector of American Consulates Diebold, of El Paso, is conducting an investigation of the shooting. American officers placed Heffron and Jonah under arrest. They were released on \$1,000.

Mexican officers at Juarez tried to stop Acosta from crossing the bridge, but he threatened to shoot anyone interfering. He is said to have been drinking. Whiskey was found in his saddle bags.

Friedmann Cure is Denounced as Useless.

Providence, R. I., Sept. 9.—In a report to the Rhode Island Medical Society here Dr. Harry Lee Barnes, superintendent of the state sanitarium, declared that the 120 sufferers from pulmonary tuberculosis treated by Dr. Friedrich Friedmann last April with his turtle vaccine "have shown none of the wonderful results reported by Friedmann before the Berlin Medical society."

"On the contrary," Dr. Barnes added, "after 17 per cent of the cases have shown an increased activity of the diseases, which would not have been expected under ordinary sanitarium treatment. One patient, suffering from joint tuberculosis, showed marked improvement."

### Twenty Dollars in Gold.

Will be given by W. E. Ellis, the produce merchant of Hartford, at the Ohio County Fair, for best saddle and harness horse, either sex, any age, fed on Arat Horse Feed bought of him. Must enter contest by September 1, 1913. First prize is \$15.00, second best, \$5.00.

### NEW BETHEL.

Sept. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Sparks spent Sunday with Mr. Sparks' parents near Hartford.

Mr. Harry York and Mr. Charlie Troutman of Glennville attended prayer meeting at this place Sunday night.

Mr. G. E. Barr went to Hartford Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Sparks of near Hartford spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. N. T. May of this place.

Mrs. Clarence Tucker and Mr. Austin Tucker of this place who have been visiting relatives near Bremen, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Eveline May of Livermore is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Prosie Sutherlin of this place.

Mr. Charlie and Arthur Bell left here Sunday morning for Bowling Green where they will attend school.

Mrs. Julia Bell and Miss Ella Jolly went to Buford Thursday.

Mr. Marvin Crowe of this place went to Livermore Friday.

Miss Laetitia Sparks of near Hartford is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sparks this week.

## KENTUCKIANS IN OKLAHOMA

Governor Cruse is From Crittenden County.

The Political Roster is Made Up of Men From the Blue Grass State.

Oklahoma City, Sept. 10.—No other State in the Union has given to Oklahoma as many men prominent in political affairs of the new State as has Kentucky, as may be seen by a reference to the political roster. It is estimated, too, that the "Blue Grass" State has given more than 49,000 of her sons and daughters to Oklahoma. The head of the list, holding the highest honor within the gift of the electorate. He was born near Marion and came to Oklahoma about eighteen years ago, locating in the Indian Territory. This was later consolidated with Oklahoma Territory to make the new State, and Gov. Cruse made the race for the first governorship, but he was defeated by Charles N. Haskell. Then he won his second race for the Democratic nomination and was elected.

Judge John B. Harrison, of the State Supreme Court, comes from Anderson.

R. H. Wilson, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, came from Scottsville. He is now seriously mentioned as a candidate for Governor next year.

U. T. Rexroat, of Ardmore, formerly of Fort Hill, is a member of the House of Representatives and one of the Democratic leaders in that branch of the Legislature.

Barber Richards, of King Mountain, now of Oklahoma City, is Deputy Secretary of State, State president of the Young Men's League of Democratic Clubs and is considered the logical candidate for Secretary of State of the Democratic party.

J. H. Chambers, formerly of Mt. Sterling, is attorney for the State school land department and is in the race for Attorney General.

W. J. Caudill, State enforcement officer until his office was recently abolished by the State Legislature, came from Barbourville. He is now a candidate for appointment as United States Marshal of the Western district of Oklahoma.

H. H. Smith, of Shawnee, Okla., leader of the Progressive Democratic forces in the House of Representatives of the State Legislature, and a prominently mentioned candidate for Governor, is a former Kentuckian.

Caswell Bennett, formerly of Crittenden county, is Inspector of the State Health Department. Marie Woodson, of Louisville, is superintendent of the Farm Demonstration Department of the State Board of Agriculture. M. Cornelius, of Russellville, is register of deeds of Oklahoma county, the capital county, and Ezra Outfit, once of Adairville, is County Assessor.

J. R. Keaton, of Oklahoma City, is a member of one of the leading law firms of the State, and is prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for the United States Senate against the Hon. Thomas P. Gore. He is from the Bowling Green country.

A. P. Crockett, of Oklahoma City, one of the State's best-known lawyers, is from Hopkinsville, as is A. C. Cruse, brother of the Governor, who comes from Marion.

J. S. Ross, of Oklahoma City, formerly of Paducah, was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress from this district in the primaries last year, but was defeated by less than 100 votes.

Sam Hooker, formerly of Russellville, has just closed his term as County Attorney for Oklahoma county, where he made a record for himself as a law-enforcement officer.

President Charles Evans, of the State Central Normal, is also from the "Pennyroyal."

Kentuckians have established names for themselves in the financial affairs of the State as well.

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## G. A. R. AT CHATTANOOGA

Annual Encampment to Begin Monday.

General Orders Have Been Issued to Ky. Veterans--Rates From Hartford.

On Monday, September 15, at Chattanooga, Tenn., will be held the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. The meeting will be a national one in scope and the great host of the blue-clad army of the Union will be in force for the encampment. The Southern city is putting on her gay dress for the occasion, and the veterans have been assured the most elaborate entertainment ever offered them on the occasion of their reunion. The great South will put on its best for the entertainment of the soldiers of the North.

Every arrangement has been made for the easy and economical transportation of the veterans from their homes to the seat of their encampment. All railroads have offered exceptionally low rates for the occasion. An effort is being made by the Kentucky officials of the veterans to bring to the scene of one of the bloodiest battles of the Civil War, a record-breaking crowd, in fact to outnumber the delegations from every state in the union.

Stopover privileges at different points of interest will probably be granted. The fare over the L. & N. railroad to Chattanooga has been fixed at \$5.80 from Hartford. Date of sale, Sept. 12 to 19. Final return limit Sept. 27, but, by depositing ticket with special agent at Chattanooga, the return trip can be extended until October 17. For further particulars concerning rates, etc., apply to H. E. Mischke, the local agent at Hartford. A special train will be run from Owensboro on Sunday, Sept. 14, to Chattanooga, leaving Owensboro at 2:30 p.m. The fare from Owensboro on the special train is \$6.55.

A very attractive program has been arranged for the delight of the veterans, which will include speakers of national fame, and on Wednesday the great parade to be participated in by all the veterans with allied organizations, will be held on the principal streets of the city.

W. J. L. Hughes, of Owensboro, department commander for the department of Kentucky, has issued his general orders relative to the encampment in which detailed information is given to the veterans. The time for registering, the assignment of quarters, as well as positions in the grand parade are embraced in the orders. Each veteran and the members of the allied organizations will be furnished with a copy of these instructions upon inquiry to Mr. Hughes. It is necessary that all attending the encampment make their arrangements immediately with Mr. Hughes.

**Cold Shoulder For Emmeline.**  
Washington, September 5.—Before Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, leader of the British militant suffragists, can be admitted to the United States in October, the time set in the latest announcements for her coming, the immigration authorities will decide whether any of the acts for which she has been imprisoned in England constitute moral turpitude within the meaning of the law, and make her an undesirable alien.

She will be detained at whatever port she lands, but whether, eventually, she may be permitted to enter cannot be foretold. To the immigration authorities, Mrs. Pankhurst's visit presents at this time purely a hypothetical question, and they decline to pass upon it in advance.

Officials of the Department of Labor now are seeking all obtainable information concerning the British suffragists' militant activities that may have a legal bearing upon her right to admission to the United States.

**Field Seeds of All Kinds.**  
Have a big stock, bought early in season. Can furnish best grade of Red Top Seed as cheap as you can order them. For sale by W. E. Ellis, Produce Merchant, Hartford, Ky.

## BIRDS VISIT MINES

**British Collieries Have Many Strange Visitors.**

**Cats, Mice, Rats and Dogs Not Uncommon—Animal in Pit the Cause of Strike With Curious Sequel.**

**London.—After a colliery explosion at Blaenavon one of the rescue parties made a surprising discovery. Perched on a tui in the mine was a robin. Now, most collieries regard the presence of birds, particularly those with white plumage, about pits as a "token," and the "fire" which had occurred was, therefore, attributed to the intrusion of the perky little stranger.**

**Rats are not uncommon about a pit head, and some of them reach the depths beneath, occasionally with fatal haste.**

**One, during the process of falling down a shaft, acquired such a momentum by the time it reached the bottom that when it struck a collier there was a loud report as of an explosion, and the man was knocked to the ground with great force.**

**In warm mines, too, mice are numerous. A few reach a new pit in the trusses of hay and bags of corn that are taken down for the ponies, and these, notwithstanding the strangeness of their environment, multiply so rapidly that cats have to be installed in the stables.**

**It might be supposed that they, at any rate, would not take at all kindly to the subterranean world, but they soon become used to their surroundings.**

**In one mine a fine pit tabby used to knock off with the men on Saturday, but, unlike them, she did not start again on Monday morning. She was always missing till Wednesday or Thursday, when she returned from the old and disused portion of the mine.**

**A strike, however, plays far greater havoc with the mouse population of a pit than any number of cats, because the food of the ponies and of the men and boys is no longer available for the unfortunate little creatures.**

**When, by way of example, the Durham colliers joined in the great general strike last year many of the pits in that county were overrun with mice, but for some time after work was resumed not one was seen.**

**Dogs also are among the animal trespassers in mines. By some means a terrier entered a disused pit in Swaledale, and for eight days it roamed about the workings without anything to eat.**

**More remarkable was a dog's intrusion into a South Wales pit which has the reputation of being haunted.**

**The animal in question was seen prowling about the workings, and, as it seemed to vanish when an attempt was made to catch it, a number of colliers at once "downed tools" and went home.**

**Some of them then consulted a local wise woman, telling her of the "vision" they had seen earlier in the day, whereupon she predicted a disaster. As a result more than 200 men refused to go down the following morning, and, though the manager did his utmost to induce them to resume work, they obstinately determined to remain idle.**

**And, what is more, it was not until three days later that all the men were at work again.**

**There were two curious sequels to this incident. One, which took place about a week afterward, was the prosecution and conviction of the fortune teller for causing the miners to absent themselves from work.**

**The other sequel happened much more recently, and was the discovery of a skeleton of a dog (doubtless that which had been seen by some of the miners) in the workings.**

**MUCH TROUBLE IN WINSTED**

**Gang of Robber Squirrels Lift Boiler Cover and Gorge Themselves on Doughnuts.**

**Winsted Conn.—Rockfern, the summer home at Highland Lake of Louis L. Murphy jewelry merchant, is overrun with red squirrels, and a dozen or more box traps are to be set to catch them. One evening Mrs. Murphy, after placing edibles on the table, started out on the lake to meet her husband. On their return to the cottage Mr. Murphy took a seat at the dining table.**

**"There is no bread here," he said. "There must be," she replied. "I put it on the table before going to meet you."**

**Looking outdoors they saw three squirrels carrying the missing loaf of bread up a hillside in back of the cottage. The squirrels have been known to remove the cover from the boiler in which edibles are kept and get away with two dozen doughnuts in a single night. The family's meat bill has almost doubled since they arrived at the resort because of thefts committed by the squirrels. Last season the cottage owner had the same trouble, and got a cat to keep the squirrels away, but one night a raccoon came along and dined on the cat.**

**Willis Body to Science.**

**Philadelphia, Pa.—The will of Miss Lucy Hunter Bird, the wealthy Washington society woman, died for probate here, instructed that her body be given to the medical profession for the use of science.**

## PAVED STREETS IN 2000 B. C.

**Babylon and Other Ancient Cities Took Marked Interest in Good Roads.**

**Chicago.—When or where the first road was built is not known. Herodotus speaks of a great Egyptian road on which King Cheops employed 100,000 men for ten years. According to the historian, this road was built of massive stone blocks ten feet deep and lined on both sides with temples, mansions, porticos and statues. The streets of Babylon are said to have been paved as early as 2000 B. C., and several well surfaced roads radiated to neighboring cities. Carthage, before its fall, was the center of a highly developed road system. The ancient Peruvians had a wonderful system of national roads connecting all the principal parts of their empire.**

**Bridges were also built by the ancients at a very early date. The Euphrates, at Babylon, was crossed by a stone bridge prior to 2000 B. C., and it is known that the Chinese built bridges as public works as early as 2900 B. C.**

**The first definite and fully authentic information concerning the systematic construction and maintenance of permanent roads comes to us from the Romans. It is generally understood that the Romans learned the art of road building from the Carthaginians. However, the construction of their great road was as perfect as that of any of their later ones.**

**The first of the great Roman roads was from Rome to Capua, a distance of 142 Italian miles, and was begun by Appius Claudius about 312 B. C. It was known as the Appian Way or "Queen of Roads." This road was later extended to Brundisium, a total of 369 miles, and was probably completed by Julius Caesar. About 220 B. C. the Flaminian Way was built. It crossed the Nar river on a stone bridge which had a central span of 150 feet, with a rise of 100 feet. When Rome reached the height of her glory, under the reign of Augustus, no less than 29 great military roads radiated from the city. More roads extended to every part of the vast empire and are estimated to have a total length of 50,000 miles.**

**The Roman construction was in general extremely massive.**

## AMERICANS WIN POLO CUP

**Crowd Madly Cheers When Score of 4½ to 4¼ in Favor of U. S. Was Posted.**

**New York.—The cheer that went up from the thousands who came to watch the second game of the polo series, when the final score, American 4½, English 4¼, was posted, rent the air and sent its resounding echoes through the hills of Long Island.**

**"See here, father, you're got to cut out this tommy-rot. You march out and get that boy a sensible suit of clothes."**

**"The old man was dumfounded.**

**"What's this miss? Telling me what to do! I cannot believe my senses."**

**"Yes, sir. I want you to know this is America, and we've made up our minds to have our American rights."**

**"A cheer of approval went up from the table, and from that day dated a new dynasty."**

**Food for the Shipwrecked.**

**Caches or depots for food and clothing have recently been established by the various governments on most of the dangerous islands under their dominion. And on many of the others there are sign posts and instructions as to how to get to the nearest island where there is such a depot. They are kept in huts built expressly for the purpose or in natural caves in the cliffs, where all the provisions will remain dry and keep for a long time. As an example, down in the Indian ocean are the islands of Amsterdam, St. Paul and Kerguelen, all dangerous spots for vessels in a storm. On each of these the French warship Eure has established depots containing necessities of all kinds for castaways, no matter what their nationality may be. At Amsterdam island, in large caverns on a hillside, there are supplies of beef, biscuits, underclothes, blankets and some matches inclosed in a hermetically sealed metal box. There are also in the same cave several cots, a cooking pot and dry wood, left by fishermen who occasionally visit there. Cabbage and celery, fish and lobsters abound on the island and in the waters about it and castaways could live there indefinitely. The depot is clearly marked out by a board bearing the legend, "France, Vivres, Vétements pour naufragés, Eure."**

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## DETHRONED AS "BOSS"

**HOW POMPOUS ENGLISH FATHER MET HIS WATERLOO.**

**Must Have Come as a Shock to the "Ruler of the House," but Daughter Also Had a Will of Her Own.**

**"Who is the boss in the typical American family?" asked a West Philadelphia mentor. A number of men ventured to assert they were chiefs of the wigwam, while others had mental pictures of "mother" as the ruling monarch. But the speaker proceeded to answer his own question.**

**"It is the oldest daughter," he said. "From what I have seen of domestic life I believe this is true in a preponderance of instances—from the household of the railroad president down to that of the porter who cleans the cars."**

**"The old gentleman, the nominal head, is clay in her hands—tightwad by no means excepted. He may shake his head and growl like a grizzly bear, but, just the same, he goes and buys the piano."**

**"The American citizen's daughter rules the home by a variety of methods according to her type of character. Sometimes she is crafty and sometimes she is tyrant."**

**"I have just heard the story of an English gentleman who made the discovery, after moving to Philadelphia, that being 'lord of the castle' won't work in this atmosphere."**

**"This Britisher loved his role as 'the master' of the house. He was an example of the pompous Englishman often delineated by English novelists; his domestic sway was so intolerable that there was a general sigh of relief when he left the house in the mornings for business. He was a man of strict integrity, however, and was proud of his family."**

**"His business necessitated a residence in various countries of Europe, and children were born in England, Scotland, Spain, France and Italy. He had the odd conceit to name the children after the city of their birth. I remember there was a Sevilla, a Paris and a Milan. Not only that: he made them dress after the fashion of the nation of their cradle days."**

**This was accomplished in a modified way without causing much excitement, but when it came to sending the lad who hailed from Scotland to school in kilts rebellion against British rule broke loose. As you may guess, the boy was pitilessly gulyed about his bare knees. The oldest daughter took up the case.**

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**Pretty Near.**

**It was Sunday afternoon and Mabel's little sister, Ruth, aged four, was seated beside Mabel on the sofa. Presently the little girl asked of Mabel's dance: "Aren't I your sweet heart, Mr. Bumper?"**

**"Well," answered Mr. Bumper with a fond glance at Mabel, "you're the next thing to it." —Puck.**

## FOUR BEARS IN FEW MINUTES

**Trapper Gets Family That Stole His Bread and Nails, and Has Skins to Prove It.**

**Two large black bears and two cubs were killed within sight of Dawson, by Bill Roman, after an exciting experience. Roman has a cabin on Dion Gulch, above the city three miles. While sitting in the place with his back to the door in the evening he noticed the place suddenly overcast by a shadow.**

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## HOSTESS IN HOTELS

Hostelries Now Provide Them for Their Guests.

She Plans Shopping Tours, Purchases Theater Tickets and Arranges Sightseeing Expeditions and Otherwise Guides Patrons.

New York.—It is a long step from the hotel of 20 years ago, which would not receive a woman alone at night, no matter what her appearance or her necessities, to that of the big hotel which provides a hostess. She has nothing to do with the management of the hotel. Her duty is simply to look after the comfort of the transient women guests. The hotel clerk is supposed to know how to get anywhere, from the Jumel mansion to the Aquarium; he summons tailors and taxi and ticket sellers. But when it comes to women's clothes and clubs even his bland resourcefulness may be a trifle shaken. And so enters the woman hostess.

"The first thing I did was to circulate all the women's clubs east of the Mississippi," she said. "The club women of New York have no headquarters, and many out-of-town club women who come here for a week or a month never get in touch with what is going on in the club world here at all."

"Now, when a guest tells me she is from a club in Indiana I look her up in my directory, and put her in touch with the Daughters of Indiana here. Of course, I keep a careful directory of all club events and the concerts and lectures that do not get into the papers." Here she displayed a large blackboard in the women's writing-room, filled with a day's program of New York clubs.

"Of course, I keep in touch with what is going on at the theaters. I helped one of the men guests to choose seats the other day. He wanted to take two ladies to the theater, and in trying to find out what they would prefer we got rather deep into the psychology of the feminine mind.

He said that he had never stopped to think of what his guest might prefer, but had always taken her to the musical comedies that he liked to see. It is hard for a woman guest who has not had time to read the reviews to choose a play that she will really enjoy, and I make that sort of decision two or three times an evening.

"Planning sightseeing itineraries is another regular part of my work. Sometimes I send out a woman guide, and sometimes I simply write very full directions about the proper side of the street on which to take the subway. A great deal of time can be conserved in this way. The other day I sent a teacher who was here for the weekend through Teachers' college with a guide who took her through the whole building and explained everything to her in about an hour. Finding nurses, dentists, oculists and every sort of supplies, from millinery to rolling chairs, is commonplace.

"Making reservations on trains and steamers and meeting incoming guests when requested is a part of our daily routine.

"But even when a woman is familiar with the city I feel that I can do something for her by making her feel that here in the midst of this great hotel she may be quite comfortable and secure. There are writing-rooms, reading-rooms, reception-rooms and a library. And I am here to show her how to make the most of all these things, as well as of what the city has to offer, and to help her in any sudden emergency that may arise."

### SATAN STOLE THE CORPSE

Mourners Assert Weird-Looking Creature With Red Hair Made Way With Dead Body.

Fort Smith, Ark.—A creature, conforming with the generally accepted appearance of the devil, stole the body of a man in the neighborhood of Basé, Montgomery county, according to S. H. Farrow of Cedar Creek, and vouched for by four supposed eyewitnesses, is the story that has gained much comment at Waldon, according to advice.

Farrow says the body stolen was a farmer's.

The eyewitnesses to the spooky occurrence were keeping watch at the house when the weird creature entered. He carried a heavy chain across his shoulders, wore a red robe, and a long growth of red hair, they say.

His face was apparently painted red, and on his forehead a small set of horns had been fastened.

The watchers became so alarmed that they fled, and when they returned the coffin was empty.

### RETIREMENT OF ANCIENT JON

Cavalry Horse Who Has Served 25 Years In Four Regiments Gets Life Vacation.

Leavenworth, Kas.—Old Jon, the favorite cavalry horse at Fort Leavenworth, after serving 25 years, has been retired to the fort's reservation, to the regret of all officers. The animal has served in the Fourth, Sixth, Ninth and Fourteenth cavalry. Capt. W. T. Johnston of the Fifteenth cavalry issued orders prohibiting anyone from riding, driving or in any way molesting old Jon in his well-earned retirement from active service.

## BIG MOUNTAIN THAT MOVES

Remarkable Natural Curiosity That Has Great Celebrity in State of Colorado.

Florence, Colo.—A curiosity in the way of a moving mountain of cement shale at the quarries of the Portland Cement company, six miles east of this city, is being closely guarded by the officials of the plant.

The first intimation the company had of the trouble was following a blast recently, which brought down a large amount of rock, and before the mammoth steam shovel could be removed the rear of the boiler room was demolished, but, fortunately, no one was injured.

A careful investigation followed. It was discovered that a large crack had appeared in the top of the mountain which since that time has gradually increased until it is now at least twenty feet across and twelve feet deep. There is a fault in the mountain where the crack first appeared, and it is from this spot that the mountain of dirt, rock and trees seems to be letting go.

It is estimated when the slide occurs, as it will surely do, that 200,000 tons will be dislodged. The whole mass is giving away, and during one night, and up until 4 o'clock the next afternoon, measurements disclosed the fact that it had moved over a distance of twelve inches.

While the action is not discernible to the naked eye it is evident that the mountain is about ready to collapse, for large cracks are noticeable across its entire length.

General Manager R. J. Morse arrived at the plant from Denver and, after viewing the phenomenon, made arrangements to assist nature in its work. A pipe line was laid to the gap in the top of the mountain, and water is being run in the crevices in four different places. A number of holes have been drilled at various places at the foot of the moving mass and it is thought that when these are fired the collapse will take place.

## SUMMER 'WHITE HOUSE' ROOM

Apartment Where the President and His Family Will Enjoy "Light" Music.

Cornish, N. H.—A view of the beautiful interior of the "music room" at Harlakenden house, Cornish, N. H., where President Wilson and his family no doubt will spend many of their evenings during their sojourn in the summer "White House," located on a



President's Music Room.

a beautiful and picturesque estate of 700 acres on the Connecticut river. It is said that the tapestry seen hanging on the wall cost the owner of the house, Winston Churchill, \$40,000.

## MUSIC BOX WAS THRU WAR

Confederate Lieutenant Always Had It With Him—Has Two Tunes Left In It.

Atlanta.—Music in the state capitol may have been rather an unusual occurrence at one time, but such is not the case any longer.

It is true that it cannot be heard throughout the wide roomy corridors, but in the offices of State School Superintendent M. L. Brittain can occasionally he heard the strains of two old wartime melodies.

The orchestra is a small music box, scarcely larger than the palm of one's hand. It was bought in Geneva, Switzerland, more than sixty years ago, by Mr. Brittain's grandfather, and is notable for having been carried through the Civil war by his father, Dr. J. M. Brittain, who was a lieutenant.

The school superintendent had had the little instrument repaired after many years of disuse, and it now plays as it did when it cheered the tent of the young lieutenant.

It knows but two tunes, both melodies of the old days, "The Glad Song of Triumph" and "We Never Mention Her."

The little box of music is prized very highly by Mr. Brittain.

Fortune Killed Him.

Arion, Belgium.—When told he had won \$200,000 in the Charleroi exhibition lottery, a brakeman earning \$14 a month here fell dead.

## DISARMS THE ENEMY

PERHAPS IT WOULD BE MORE CORRECT TO SAY "DIS-CLAWS."

Anyway, New Jersey Farmer Devised a Scheme Which Resulted in Discomfiture to the Spoilers of His Hen Roosts.

Benjamin Groner, a farmer in the Bird's Eye Hollow neighborhood, just over the New Jersey line from Goshen, in studying the habits of hawks noted that those prowling and swooping birds always perched on the branch of some tree or on a high fence or other good point for observation near a poultry yard and from there took a comprehensive view of the surroundings and their possibilities before swooping down on the contents of the yard. That set Farmer Groner to thinking, and he thought to such purpose that it resulted in his devising a contrivance which he believed would be the ruin of every hawk that came nosing about his premises.

He had a scythe blade made of the best steel he could procure. He ground and whetted the edge of the blade until it was as keen as keen could be. Then he fastened the butt end of the blade with bolts tight to a high pole near the top, edge up, and at an angle of 45 degrees. The pole he then set in the ground, a few rods from his poultry yard at the edge of a wood lot.

In the afternoon of the day he set the trap a hawk came sailing along over the tops of the trees. Farmer Groner was in his barn and saw it and watched its manoeuvres.

The big bird circled about a few times and then dropped down on the outstretched scythe blade, which appeared as a convenient point of observation.

The instant the hawk lit it began to slide down the smooth slant of the blade and the razorlike edge sliced its claws off as quickly and as neatly as a meat cutter slices smoked beef. The bird fluttered to the ground, but as its wings were still at its command it flew away. And it has never come back to Farmer Groner's place again.

Going out to the trap pole and finding the talons of the crippled hawk, Farmer Groner knew that his pondering over the ways of hawks had resulted in a successful demonstration of the conclusion he had come to, and next morning he discovered that he had builded even wheeler than he knew, for he found a couple of sets of owl toes on the ground beneath the scythe blade. He had not calculated on owls, but holding to the old fashioned belief that those nocturnal prowlers were habitual robbers of hen roosts, he gloatingly accepted the evidence of the efficacy of his trap as an owl disposer.

Ever since that installing of the scythe trap for business on the Groner farm it has been kept on duty, and the frequent findings of hawk and owl claws scattered beneath it and the noticeable increase in his poultry flock are incontrovertible proof to Farmer Groner that it is doing the work it was planned to do. An owl or hawk that lights on that terrible perch is forever unfitted for stealing chickens, for both birds capture their prey with their claws.

### As Advertised.

Charles L. Stanison, a London advertising expert, was praising in New York the change that has come over the advertisement.

"In advertising, as in other things," he said, "it has been found that honesty pays, and today, throughout the world, the successful advertiser is modest and conservative in his statements.

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"You know Phatt, our 400-pound bookkeeper?" said one man in the street to another.

"Yes. What of him?"

"Well, he saw an ad in the paper—"Fat folks reduced, five dollars"—and he answered it."

"Did he get any reply?"

"O, yes; it was just as advertised."

"That's good. And how much was he reduced?"

"Why, just as the advertisement said, five dollars."

### Cause for Alarm.

Smith had just been operated upon for appendicitis. During his period of convalescence he became quite chummy with the two other patients who shared the ward with him.

"How are you feeling, boys?" said Smith one morning to them.

"Oh, we are all right," they both answered together, "considering that we had to undergo two operations."

"Why, how was that?" questioned Smith, in an agitated voice.

"Because the doctor assigned to this ward is an idiot. In collecting his instruments after the operation, he missed a needle and a pair of scissors. The former he found in me, and the latter in my friend here on the right. You see now the reason for the two operations."

Just then the surgeon put his head in at the door and asked:

"Has anyone seen my silk hat?"

Smith fainted.

### Po's Definition.

"Say, Pa," queried little Billy, "what is an echo?"

"An echo, my son," replied the patient old man, with a sigh that was long drawn out, "is the only thing that can flimflam a woman out of the last word."

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### TELEGRAPHIC

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.

Wooden cars make costly kindling wood.

Oh, well, many of the Democratic jobs are but sour grapes anyway.

If English women should get the ballot, Mrs. Pankhurst would be out of a job.

The administration cannot ignore Huerta, although it refuses to recognize him.

To add still further to his abnormal troubles, Gov. Sulzer has been approved by Gov. Please.

If the Cullinan cut has any more sliding to do it had better do it now. It will soon be too late.

That currency question is merely academic to many people who are the most violent agitators of it.

Mexico's cabinet officers have all been too busy for some time to make any arrangements to lecture.

If the present tendency in women's dress is carried much farther, it will put the ballot shows out of business.

The next time any congressman have dealings with Col. Mulhall they will doubtless use the telephone and not write.

John Lind's conception of up-to-date diplomacy involves the plan of concealing everything, including the diplomatist.

In Sweden they are about to pass a law giving women a right to propose marriage. There are so many unnecessary laws.

Senators James and Bradley, of Kentucky, have been heard about as often as any of the other senators on the tariff question.

Senator Penrose's plea for intervention without war is singularly suggestive of the short sighted man who interfered in a family quarrel.

This has been a bad year for Democratic governors. If you don't believe it call on Gov. Sulzer, of New York, and Gov. Patterson, of Tennessee.

Think of all that Thaw money being spent in Canada, when there are so many needy and deserving lawyers and hotel keepers on this side of the line.

Congressman Bob Thomas does not often say anything which we endorse, but when in a speech in Congress a few days ago he referred to the Civil Service system as the "Swindle Service system" he made a statement, which has our heartiest approval.

An election held in the district in the State of Maine, formerly represented by James G. Blaine, last Monday placed the first emphatic condemnation of the American people at the ballot box upon the present Democratic administration's tariff policy. It was a special election held to fill a vacancy, and the administration sent Secretary Bryan, Speaker Clark and other heavy weights there to canvass the district, and the result was a larger vote than was cast at the last presidential election.

The plurality for the Republican candidate was something like one thousand and over the Democratic nominee, while a Progressive candidate running on a protective tariff platform, received something over six thousand votes. Thus showing a protective tariff majority of over seven thousand.

Had the Democrats succeeded, the election would have been hailed in administration circles as an endorsement of the present tariff bill. The news dispatches say that President Wilson remained up until after midnight to hear the returns Monday night and that he was keenly disappointed.

There are other keen disappointments in store for him when the American people have an opportunity to express themselves on his tariff bill.

### Tariff Not Added to Price.

John Sharp Williams, uncompromising Free-Trader, defends the Tariff on bananas on the theory that it will be paid by the foreign producer and not by the consumer. What's that? A Free-Trader admitting that any Tariff can possibly be levied that is not wholly paid by the consumer? The Senator from Mississippi is, however,

right for once on the general proposition that the Tariff is not always added to the price paid by the ultimate consumer. As a matter of fact, excepting when the Tariff is placed upon a non-competing article—a favorite Free-Trade Tariff system—little or none of the duty is added to the final selling price of the equivalent domestic product. It is mostly paid by the foreigner in naming lower prices than he would otherwise charge for his goods. It is well to have this fact recognized and admitted by so distinguished a Free-Trade advocate as John Sharp Williams.

### Can't Fool the Farmer.

No one doubts the immediate competitive effect of Free-Trade in agricultural products. The situation with respect to agricultural machinery is very different. There is no assurance whatever that there will be any reduction at all in the price of the output of agricultural implements as they reach the farmer.

The farmer, at the best, is taking a certain reduction in the price of all he produces in exchange for an uncertain reduction in the price of articles which do not constitute more than ten per cent of his production cost.

Senator McCumber is right in his statement that the farmer is the "goat" of the Underwood-Simmons-Wilson bill. Not only will he lose out by reason of the decreased price received for what he produces, but he has ahead a prospect of losing the home market which is his nearest and best market. The sophistries of those who stand sponsor for the new Tariff bill will not go down with the hard-headed American farmer who knows on which side his bread is buttered. — *Muncie (Ind.) State Journal.*

### Base Ball Dope.

Sulphur Springs was defeated on their home grounds Sunday afternoon by Hartford, score 9 to 13. Rickard and McDougal were the "big boys" for Hartford, while Midkiff and Taylor were on the points for Sulphur Springs. The game started off with a rush with the Hartford boys, when Cundiff, McDougal and Barnes each scored. S. S. did not score until the fourth inning, when F. Bow scorched in the sixth, however, they did some hard hitting and made six runs on the Hartford bunch. At that time and for several innings it looked like the Hartford boys could not come back, and the home team rooters were wild with joy. But in the eighth things changed to Hartford when Spalding laced out a single and the whole team batted around, and started off again with Spalding who was caught out going to first. The Sulphur Springs boys did everything honorable they could to win, but after they were defeated they acted as perfect gentlemen, and were not sore and had the best feeling toward the Hartford players and visitors.

Saturday afternoon at East End park Livermore came back at Hartford and tried to take a game from us, but the locals scored 12 men, to Livermore's 3. Spalding did the slab work for Hartford, and was in fine trim. He was assisted by our Irish friend, McDougal, of Rockport, who has been with us for several games. Rice, Dossett and Kline toiled for Livermore. Livermore presented some fine players, but on the other side the Hartford boys were all in dandy shape and had easy sailing all the way through.

Elgin, who has been playing in more or less hard luck the last few games, redeemed himself gloriously Saturday by getting two two-base hits and a single. His work at the Springs Sunday was also good.

Every man on the Hartford team at the Springs Sunday made a run or more except Rickard. However, he brought in some scores by his work.

At the Springs Sunday Wayne Midkiff was standing by his home team and rooted as loudly as anybody. After the game he was as good natured as anyone, and asked the whole bunch to come back again.

Cleve Baxley was another Springite who knew he had the game doped out right Sunday, but the tide changed very suddenly.

Hartford goes against Taylor Mines at the latter place Saturday afternoon. There will be no game at Hartford Saturday. It is expected that a very large crowd from Hartford will witness the game at Taylor Mines. This is the fourth game of the series scheduled between Hartford and Taylor Mines—Hartford winning two and T. M. one.

**Pay Your Taxes.**

Taxes for the year 1913 are now due and we are ready to receive same. Owing to a new law passed during the last legislature, relative to preparing the receipts, all taxes will have to be paid at the office. So please call and pay your taxes at your earliest convenience.

T. H. BLACK,  
Sheriff Ohio County.

## FELONS REJOICE AS ROAD MAKERS

### Forty-Five Honor-Bound

Not to Try to Escape.

Warden Asks Public's Aid in Experiment to Reclaim Men Convicted of Crime.

Dixon, Ill., Sept. 6.—Camp Hope sprang into being today and forty-five prisoners from Joliet penitentiary began life anew.

In the words of Warden Allen, a new deal in the penology of the state was started. From the moment the special car containing the convicts left the walled enclosure of the prison for the camp the sun of a better day was rising. When the camp, eight miles from Dixon, was reached at noon the men leaped to the ground wholly different in mental perspective, in spirit and ambition than they had been before.

One convict had sat up all night nervously awaiting the hour of 3 o'clock when the warden summoned the squad to discard prison garb and assume ordinary citizen's attire. Murderers, forgers, Black Hand operators, hold-up men, fugitives, plain thieves, extraordinary thieves and burglars were in the lot.

Once at Camp Hope, a name selected by Warden Allen, the convicts lost the prison pallor and were like a lot of youngsters on a holiday camping-out jaunt. They unloaded luggage, grabbed the main street running between the rows of tents, put up kitchen stoves and in every way possible made preparations for the work ahead.

The slogan was, as several prisoners forcibly expressed it, "We are here to make good. The boys back at Joliet are watching us; they think if we make good here the legislature will take off the present five-year limit and give the lifers a chance to work on Illinois roads. God helping, we shall make good."

The words were used by more than one prisoner. On the lips of those left in the prison were the same sentiments. "Make good now boys," was the parting injunction; "for God's sake make good and help us all to get out into the sunlight once more."

Warden Allen, Deputy Warden Wash, Captain Keegan and Charles Hardy, night guard, all spoke of the farewell messages. Some of the remaining prisoners were in tears. Nearly all wished the lucky ones who were going "fine luck."

The camp is on high ground on the estate of William Andrus, a wealthy man, whose home is at Grand Detour. It is adjacent to a windmill which is attached to a pump that furnishes spring water. Groves are at the side and rear; the field is surrounded by a wide fence.

Most of the day was devoted to making ready the camp. This afternoon there was some shovel and pick labor. All this week will be utilized in getting the prisoners accustomed to working in the sun.

By next Monday the training period will have ended and actual road-making will begin under the direction of M. T. Harvey, road commissioner of Grand Detour township, who twenty years ago was a deputy in Joliet prison in the Alton regime. Harvey knows convicts and is believed to be the right man to head the squad. He says it will take sixty days to level down the big hill which is to be the object of attack and to make a new road to hold town.

All of Lee and Ogle counties were interested in his experiment, and hundreds of visitors were at camp. The special car was met at Dixon by Mayor William B. Brinton, Representative John P. Devine, Henry and George Dixon, attorneys; Henry Kenneth, Rev. A. B. Whitecomb, H. H. Helzene and William Tague. Most of this delegation and scores of others went to the camp to give whatever assistance they could.

Rev. Mr. Whitecomb, an Episcopal clergyman, was asked by some of the prisoners to conduct Sunday afternoon services at Camp Hope, and he gladly acquiesced.

"I haven't the slightest doubt that the experiment will succeed," said Warden Allen after the camp was put in order. "These men are ripe men and are anxious to make good; if one got away all the others would rush after him and capture him if they could. They are frightened lest one of the forty-five does make such a break. They realize what this means, not only to them, but to the men left behind at Joliet and to the prisoners at Pontiac and Chester.

"I hope with all my heart the plan goes through. If it does better things are in store for our prisoners, and gradually the penitentiaries will be depopulated. It remains for the

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public at large to do their share. To stronger will to do the right, and my way of thinking the biggest thing that then this talk and this investigation of all is what the outsiders will do I am urging you to make would not have been necessary.

I could have cheerfully voted for any man that was running. I did not try to influence a single man's vote. I asked no man how he intended to vote in any race, nor did I suggest to any man how I would like for him to vote. I was tied to no candidate, and there was no time that I would not have changed my vote in any race, or in all of them, if by doing it, a clean election could have been secured, and now in asking for this investigation, and emphasizing as best I can its importance, I am doing it with the kindest feeling toward all. When I become convinced that some of the candidates or their friends for them would use money, I realized that there would be candidates who would be martyrs in the cause of clean elections, and would suffer the usual fate of martyrs, but I pushed on the work to hold as many of the candidates as could be held to their pledge of honor and an observance of the law. I felt that a clear conscience and defeat with honor would be worth more to them, than an office won by dishonor and crime.

The law then proceeds to define a "bribe" or "bribery" as being "any reward, benefit or advantage, present or future, to the party influenced or intended to be influenced, or to another at his instance, or the promise of such reward, benefit or advantage."

Then again the law says, "money or other thing of value given or lent, in whole or in part, to be bestowed on the result of an election, shall be deemed a bribe." This means that a candidate, or anybody else, who furnishes another man money to bet on an election, violates the law and that act becomes a briber, and that the man who receives the money for that purpose becomes a bribe taker, and is subject to a heavy fine, and the loss of the right to vote and to hold office.

Then there is this very important provision: "Whoever shall receive money or other thing of value to be used for the purpose of procuring or influencing a vote or votes shall be deemed to have been bribed."

I consider this last the most important provision of all.

Before closing I want to make my own position so plain that I cannot be misunderstood. I have stated repeatedly, in public and in private, that my position on this question was an absolutely impersonal one. I have never consulted with any candidate about it, except to plead with him to obey the law; nor have I ever stopped to consider how it would affect the chances of any candidate. It was solely a question of principle with me, a question of standing for the right and condemning the wrong, and I had determined upon the course I have pursued long before any of the men who were candidates in the late primary were even mentioned for office. I have absolutely no feeling against any candidate who ran in the primary. If any of them violated the law, it was not an offense against me, but it was a crime against you and all the other people of Clark county. I sincerely pity any candidate who violated his pledge and the law, or permitted others to do it for him, and I wish with all my heart that he could have had a little higher quality of moral courage, a little more strength of character, a little

thence with a line between J. J. Russell and Elvin Williams about two hundred and seventy yards; thence over the land of Elvin Williams about five hundred and fifty yards; thence over the land of J. L. Clark about two hundred and twenty yards; to intersect the Stockport and Paradise road about one hundred and fifty yards northwest of said J. L. Clark's residence, a total distance of about 3920 yards.

The petitioners therefore pray that the Court have the said proposed road viewed, established and constructed according to the laws of the State of Kentucky.

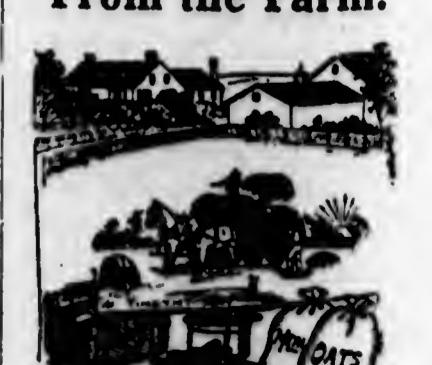
Notices having been posted in the vicinity of the proposed road, in three public places according to law, setting forth the route of the said proposed road. Signed.

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W. C. Overton,  
L. S. Engler,  
Everett Brown,  
R. R. Hope,  
Henry F. Roll,  
R. L. England,  
H. B. Stom,  
R. D. Brown,  
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We want your trade and will use all fairness to secure it. Special announcement later. Bear in mind and remember that IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH A HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.



Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.

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L. & N. time card effective Monday Aug. 21st.

No. 112 North Bound due 7:15 a.m. daily except Sunday.  
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City Restaurant sells fresh Bread every day in the week. 9t4.

Miss Lorena Ford, who has been sick for several weeks, is improving.

Mr. Noah Skaggs and family have moved to Horse Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Woodward are visiting relatives in Louisville this week.

Mr. R. T. Lier has returned from a visit with relatives at Princeton, Ind.

Miss Nora Wedding is visiting relatives and friends at Dundee and Sulphur Springs.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Wedding have returned from a visit with relatives at Whiteside.

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Mr. Clarence Keown resumed his work on the L. & N. railroad Wednesday morning.

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An immense crowd is expected in Hartford next Tuesday to attend Sun Bros. railroad circus.

Mr. Wm. Hamilton, route 3, Beaver Dam, was a pleasant caller at The Republican office, Monday.

Mr. Shelby Stevens will leave Monday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. James W. Jones, of Murray.

Mr. S. T. Barnett is in charge of J. W. Ford's mill this week, while Mr. Ford is at Kelly's camp.

Mrs. Millie A. Bennett has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. John W. Sandefur, route 3.

Miss Hettie Riley, bookkeeper at the First National Bank, has returned from a visit at Dawson Springs.

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Misses Artie and Bernice May have returned to their homes at Owensboro, after visiting Mrs. Ernest Woodward.

Mrs. A. B. Riley and son, Master John, returned home Monday from John, returned home Monday from its relatives.

Mr. McHenry Holbrook will leave Saturday for Lexington, Ky., to resume his studies in the Kentucky State University.

Misses Hettie and Ruth Riley returned Friday from Frederica, Ky., where they have been the guests of relatives and friends.

Moving picture shows every Friday and Saturday nights at Dr. Bean's opera house. New songs and new pictures. Admission 10c.

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Messrs. William Moore and Herbert Felix left yesterday for Lexington, where they will resume their studies in the Kentucky State University.

Mrs. A. J. Williams and son, Master Douglas, will leave today for Chattanooga, Tenn., to visit the former's son, Mr. D. Williams and wife.

Dr. L. B. Bean was in Owensboro Wednesday and Thursday making arrangements for some free performances to be held at the Ohio County Fair.

Miss Beatrice Haynes is visiting relatives at Owensboro. During her absence, Miss Maurine Martin is attending to Miss Haynes' duties in the Hartford postoffice.

Mrs. Rowan Holbrook and daughter, Miss Marian, left Monday for Louisville to spend a few days before going to Shelbyville, Ky., where Miss Holbrook will attend Science Hill College.

I have placed an order for the third car of Arab since June 25, 1913. If you are in need of Arab, you had better order now, as I can't keep it in stock. Will likely be out before another car arrives. Special prices by the ton for cash. Don't get Arab confused with other alfalfa feeds. Arab contains no screenings or any worthless material. Sold by W. E. ELLIS, Produce Merchant, Hartford.

Mr. Royce Iglesias left Friday for Bowling Green where he will enter school.

Miss Mildred Elgin, of Jeffersontown, arrived Tuesday to be the guest of Miss Leila Glenn.

Miss Katie Pendleton returned Saturday from Greenville, where she has been the guest of Miss Luisa Grundy.

Don't fail to read the advertisement of the Ohio County Fair, which appears in The Republican this week.

Mrs. Mary White, who has been the guest of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Cox, left Monday for Charleston, Mo.

Mrs. J. W. Jones who has been the guest of her mother Mrs. Laura Stevens, returned to her home at Murray Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sanderfur and son, James, who have been the guests of Mr. Sanderfur's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sanderfur, returned home last week.

Moving picture shows and illustrated songs at Dr. Bean's opera house every Friday and Saturday nights. New songs and new pictures, and a fine evening's entertainment for 10c.

It will be interesting to come in and look over our line of fine Jewelry and Novelties, which will be larger than ever this fall and winter.

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Mr. R. W. King, who sold his residence on Clay street to Mr. Fred Cooper some weeks since, has given possession of the property, and has rented the Weinsheim property on Clay street.

Mr. S. O. Keown, of Beaver Dam, Republican nominee for Sheriff of Ohio county, and Mr. D. E. Ward, Republican nominee for assessor of Ohio county, were pleasant callers at The Republican office Monday.

The Kentucky Light and Power Co. is engaged in laying six inch water pipes, beginning at Dr. Ford's office on Washington street, and extending out Clay street. Manager Barrass is in charge of the construction crew.

Hartford has never had a line of Kodaks before, but we will from now on carry a full line of the best, (which is signified by the brand) Eastman Kodaks, Films and Supplies.

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Messrs. J. A. Bubro and Frank Black have purchased the business of the City Restaurant from Mr. W. A. Wilkerson, and have taken charge. They will run an up-to-date restaurant and will have new paper and paint put on in a few days, and also will probably add electric fans.

Mr. John W. Taylor, the barber, will leave Sunday for Uniontown, Ind., to visit relatives for a few days. Upon returning home next Friday, he will be accompanied by his wife and daughter, who have been visiting in Indiana for several days. During Mr. Taylor's absence, Mr. Fred Robertson will be at his place in the barber shop.

School will begin at Hartford College next Wednesday morning, so we are informed by members of the faculty. On Monday evening the new building will be dedicated, and Prof. McHenry Rhoads, of Lexington, Ky., will deliver an address. The building will be open to everyone Monday evening, and all patrons and friends of the school are invited to attend the dedicatory services. For various reasons there will be no school Tuesday.

A representative of the Kentucky Actuarial Bureau, of Louisville, is in Hartford this week, visiting every residence and business house in town, and making a new and revised map for the fire insurance companies doing business in Kentucky. It has been several years since Hartford has been rated, and it is thought that much better fire insurance rates can now be given. It will take several days to complete the work here.

Why Tax Bananas?

## DELEGATES FROM EIGHT COUNTIES

Attend Tobacco Growers' Meeting at Henderson.

Other Organizations Not in Sympathy, to Resign---to Hold Meeting in Owensboro.

Henderson, Ky., Sept. 6.—Representatives from eight counties in what is known as the English type tobacco belt, five counties in the Steaming District and Daviess, Ohio and McLean, met in called convention at the courthouse here today for the purpose of forming a giant consolidation of the tobacco growing interests throughout the Western Kentucky belt. There were about 400 delegates from the eight counties, completely filling the auditorium of the court room. Everyone came with a determination of accomplishing the end for which the meeting was called.

Two important resolutions were proposed and unanimously adopted by the delegates, the first of which was that all officers of the now existing tobacco organizations not in sympathy with the movement resign their positions with these organizations, so as to give the membership an opportunity to align themselves with the larger organization.

The second provides that pooling pledges be at once prepared by an organization committee, composed by one member from each of the counties in the English type belt, and the pledges be circulated and an organization of the eight counties into one compact body be perfected. The organization committee will meet at Owensboro on Friday, Sept. 12, at 1 o'clock, to take up the matter of fixing a time for the arranging for the circulation of the pooling pledges, and the further perfecting of the organization.

The reorganization committee as selected at the meeting are Ohio county, L. B. Tichenor, Hartford; McLean county, G. H. Cary, Calhoun; Daviess, G. H. Ruh, Utica; Hopkins, Bradley Wilson, Madisonville; Webster, C. P. Dunville, Slaughterhouse; Union, C. D. Oglesby, Berville; Crittenden, W. B. Rankin, Ford's Ferry and Henderson, Dr. J. U. Ridley, Robards.

The Steaming District board held a meeting at its offices today, at which a resolution was passed agreeing to affiliate the Steaming District Association with the new organization.

The name of the organization is to be the Consolidated Tobacco Growers' Association.

What tears were shed, how loud the wail,  
About the poor man's dinner pail,  
Yet when our tin was made right here  
The cause for wailing was not clear.  
Now when the poor man wants to lunch,  
Why tax bananas pound or bunch,  
For the plate we can make, we know,  
But here bananas do not grow.  
—Camden Post-Telegram.

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### DRUMMER'S LUCKY DAY

#### SCRAP OF CONVERSATION GAVE HIM PLAN OF CAMPAIGN.

As it Turned Out, He Was Mistaken in Conclusion Arrived at, but it Resulted in Capturing the Order Looked For.

There is a silversmith in the Fourth avenue district who never tires of telling how he got a certain retailer in one of the smaller New England cities as a customer when he was a knight of the grip, says the New York Times. This is the burden of his tale:

"All men on the road have the experience of bumping into a stone wall when it comes to selling a bill of goods to certain retailers. That was my experience with Smith, up in Haverhill. No matter what I had or at what it was priced, Smith never wanted anything. Still he bought regularly from several competitors. He wouldn't go to lunch with me, nor would he accept any of the other attentions that are usually tendered good buyers."

"I had practically decided not to try him any more, when one evening I overheard two other salesmen talking in a hotel office. I didn't catch the name of the man of whom they were talking, but when I heard one salesman say that he never would accept a lunch I felt sure that they were discussing Smith."

"It's a funny thing about him," the salesman went on, "but he always goes home to lunch, no matter how busy he is. Jones told me the other day that it was because his wife was the boss of the household and made him do it. She is very fond of display, too, and often makes him do things for her that he doesn't want to do because he is unwilling to spend the money."

"Thinking that I had something on Smith I dropped in to see him the next day right after he had come back from lunch. He hadn't had time to tell me to get out when Mrs. Smith came in."

"No more business today, Henry," she said, ignoring me. "Order up a good team and take me for a ride."

"Smith didn't want to do it, but there seemed to be no way out. Then I made a bold play. I told him by sign language that I would take her for the drive. The effect was surprising. With a glad smile he jumped to his feet, saying, 'Let me introduce Mr. Brown of New York, dear. He travels for Blank & Co., and is an old friend of mine. Would you mind if he came with us?'

"Then I came into play again. 'If Mr. Smith is busy,' I said to Mrs. Smith, 'may I volunteer to take you for the ride?' Almost blushing she asked Smith's consent."

"We went for the drive. The next day Smith gave me a good order, and he bought goods from us regularly until he retired a few years ago. The best part of the whole thing was that the men talking in the hotel office were not discussing Smith. I learned afterward that they had been talking about another man, a merchant up in Lowell."

**His Kept the Day.**

"Say, you," said the policeman, as he crossed the street to head off a tramp that had just been driven away from a basement door, "what's up around here?"

"I can't tell you," was the reply.

"There's something loose around here, but what it is I don't know."

"Nor I."

"Were you asking for something to eat back there?"

"I was. I braced up to the cook and asked for a hand-me-out, and after looking me over, she says:

"Do you keep Sunday, sir?"

"I surely does," says I.

"What do we have Sunday?"

"Ah, I see," said the officer. "You couldn't tell her that."

"But I did, your honor."

"What did you tell her?"

"Why, what should I say except it was because Christopher Columbus discovered America. She went for the broom and then went for me, and if you can tell me where the joke comes in I'd like to hear it. I don't want to go around having my feelings hurt this way."—Baltimore American.

#### Ambitious.

A dusky porter of religious inclinations was employed in a downtown brokerage office. His name was Sam.

One day he thought it was about time he had had a raise, so he presented himself to the boss, cleared his throat, and began a little oration he had prepared. "Pardon me, sir, for interruptin' you, sir, but I find that with this here high cost of living, and endeavorin' to keep up my regular church contributions, I can't support my family properly. I just got to have more money, sir."

The great man grinned. "Well, Sam," he said, "I see your trouble, and I'll give you that raise, but remember, it is far better to give than to receive."

"I know that, boss," replied Sam, "but I likes to get on that reception committee mabush once in a while."—New York Evening Post.

#### Might Be a Way.

Miss Ancient Wantman (suddenly awaking)—I see you have my pocketbook; but there's very little money in that compared with what I have in the bank.

Burglar (gruffly)—Well, there ain't no way to git that!

Miss Ancient Wantman—H'm! Are you a single man? Fuck.

### NOT FOR HIM TO INTERFERE

Constable Could Not See Breach of the Peace When Men Were Fighting "Monsters Themselves."

A traveler was recently making his way on horseback through the mountainous section inhabited by that class known as the "Free Staters." Turning a bend in the peaceful road, he came upon a strange gathering. In an adjoining meadow were half a hundred or more natives engaged with sticks, stones, flags, and feet in a battle royal, while on the fence hard by sat two-score females cheering them on. The battle was in earnest; and even while the traveler, reining up in astonishment, stood fascinated by the sight, several of the combatants hit the dust.

Looking round for some one that might explain this fierce war in the midst of such peaceful surroundings, he spied, sitting on the fence, about a hundred feet from the battle-ground, and apart from the on-looking "ladies," a lank aborigine, contemplatively "chawin'" tobacco. As he spurred up to him, he saw, gleaming upon his breast, the star of a constable.

"What are these people fighting about?" queried the traveler. The constable looked up languidly, surveyed the traveler at length, and then spoke.

"They're jest some Free Staters havin' a picnic," he replied.

"But they are not picnicking," protested the traveler, "they're fighting."

"I reckon they is," replied the constable, slowly uncoiling his legs and carefully coiling them again.

"But," still protested the traveler, "why don't you stop them? You are a constable. I see, and you are sworn to preserve the peace. That's a flagrant breach of it."

The constable gazed off into infinite space awhile; then slowly turned to the stranger and, in the disgusted tones of one who must needs explain the obvious, said:

"They ain't committin' no breach of the peace; they're jest fightin' 'mongst themselves!"—New York Evening Post.

#### In Berlin Restaurants.

Not long ago the Boston Herald discussed the cookery of futurists in Paris. We now, writes Philip Hale in that newspaper, hear of orders given in restaurants of Berlin: Caviar and whipped cream, mutton with Benedictine sauce, Blasmarck herring with strawberry ice, apples and bananas with ground cheese, liver in absinthe, roast beef with pineapple chunks dipped in kummel. But pepper with strawberries is known in London among the conservative. Dr. Johnson ate cream with his berries and visited friends whose berries were famous. That Germans have had strange tastes in cooking is known to all American students that have sojourned there, and other foreigners have wondered in times past, as the chronicler of Charles V.: "I saw such kinds of meats eaten as a roasted horse, a cat in jelly" (today beware of jugged hare), "little lizards in hot broth, frogs fried and divers sorts of meat, which I never knew what they were till they were eaten. And, for God's sake, what is he that shall read my writing, that see what is commonly eaten at feasts, that it will not in a manner break his heart?"

Soap Eater Likes Critic.

Alfred Noyes, the English poet, tossed aside with a bitter laugh a roast of his last book.

"This critic," he said, "reminds me of the old gentleman with the cold—only this critic's cold is permanent—and, by Jove, he's not aware he's got it!"

"At a club, one day, I was taking a wash and brush-up, when I noticed an old gentleman nibbling a cake of soap. After each nibble he would chew the soap thoughtfully, and then, smiling and nodding his head, he would say:

"Thank heaven, it's all right."

"I asked the old gentleman what on earth he was up to. He explained, as he nibbled away at a large pink cake:

"Well, you see, I've had such a rotten bad cold for the last fortnight that it's quite taken away my taste. Every day, to see if I was improving, I've nibbled soap. This afternoon, for the first time, I find that the soap has a quite distinct taste." He took a large pink mouthful. "Um—no yes—quite distinct. Therefore I shan't go home this evening. I shall dine here at the club."

#### Saturn the Bat.

"I woke up suddenly the other night and thought I heard a burglar in the room. I sat up in bed, and that awoke my wife."

"What did she do?"

"She accused me, as usual, of having a burglar dream. Said I'd never hear a real burglar if I lived a thousand years. I said I'd bet I would. She said she'd bet I wouldn't. And just then a shadowy form rose from behind the dresser and a hoarse voice exclaimed: "He wins, ma'am!"

"Did you catch him?"

"Catch him? I didn't try. I just laid there and laughed, and heard him slam the door and run down the stairs. And my wife was so mad she didn't speak to me for a whole day. But I'll bet one thing."

"What is it?"

"I'll bet that burglar was a married man."

#### More Detail.

The Stooge—For the love of Mike! Can't you go any faster than this?

The Sheefoo—Why, softly. But you see I have to stay on the car.

Cornell Widow.

### THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE.

Do not sap the springs of life by neglect of the human mechanism, by allowing the accumulation of poisons in the system. An imitation of Nature's method of restoring waste of tissue and impoverishment of the blood and nervous strength is to take an alternative glycerin extract (without alcohol) of Golden Seal and Oregon grape root, Bloodroot, Stone and Mandrake root with Cherry bark. Over 40 years ago Dr. Pierce gave to the public this remedy, which he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. He found it would help the blood in taking up the proper elements from food, help the liver into activity, thereby throwing out the poisons from the blood and vitalizing the whole system as well as allaying and soothing a cough. No one ever takes cold unless constipated, or exhausted, and having what we call mal-nutrition, which is attended with impoverished blood and exhaustion of nerve force. The "Discovery" is an all-round tonic which restores tone to the blood, nerves and heart by imitating Nature's methods of restoring waste of tissue, and feeding the nerves, heart and lungs on rich red blood.

"I suffered from pain under my right shoulder blade also a very severe cough," writes Mrs. D. D. Dutton, of New York City, to Dr. Pierce. "Doctor, I am 60 years old, and have had consumption, others said I would have to have an operation. I was bedridden, unable to sit up for six months—and was nothing but a live skeleton. You advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pill. When I first took one bottle of the pleasant pill I sat up for an hour at a time, and when I had taken three bottles I could sit up to my working table to look children. I took fourteen bottles in all and was thalidomized until I weighed only 127 pounds."

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#### OPEN MULE MARKET IN OWENSBORO

*Will Be a Big Market for Many  
Southern  
Buyers.*

Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 9.—James Wilson of Owensboro and M. N. Nance, formerly of Bowling Green, but now a resident of Henderson will open a mule market in Owensboro within the next few days. The old Southern Boundary building which was formerly occupied by the Gilbert-Wahl company located on the corner of Fifth and Franklin streets is being converted into a market for buying and selling mules and repairs to the extent of several thousand dollars are being made.

There has been a healthy demand for mules for some time and the Owensboro market will doubtless be very popular with Southern buyers. Approximately all the mules sold on the 1:30 p.m.

market will be shipped to the South and an average of a car load a week is expected to be maintained through out the season.

The location is an ideal one. In all five pens have been built and has a wide ring for showing purposes. The formal opening of the market will be held during the next two weeks. Mr. Nance and family will shortly move to Owensboro, where they will in the future reside. It is the intention of Messrs. Ellis and Nance to handle between 2,000 and 3,000 mules during the buying season.

#### Big Show Coming to Hartford September 16.

One of America's oldest, richest tented shows, a modernized great combination of the very greatest trained wild animals, the most superb horses and ponies, the greatest European and American artists, the latest "thrillers" that mankind can devise and in fact the newest novelties of the present day, all in one union, will be found with Sun Brothers' World's Progressive Shows, now on their twenty-second annual tour and will give two complete exhibitions at Hartford September 16.

This stupendous aggregation is under the personal direction of the Sun Brothers, and the assurance is made that the programme for the present season is newer and richer than ever. To add to the variety a complete Japanese Circus Company will exhibit the very cleverest Oriental acts now imported to this country and now seen in America for the first time.

Over one hundred great artists appear with this big show. Dean and his matchless band appear at every performance and they are a delight to all that hear their great concerts. The menagerie and wild beast exhibition is complete and an educative diversity.

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#### SUFFRAGIST DEMANDS JOB AT WASHINGTON

**Woman Leaves Only After Argument Regarding Her Rights To Position.**

Washington, September 9.—Things moved at a lively clip in the office of the secretary of the treasury today when a militant suffragette from Oklahoma appeared in a lurid split skirt and demanded that she be taken before William G. McAdoo, the secretary, instantaneously. For a time it looked as if she intended to mop up the floor with Byron Newton, one-time war correspondent and now private secretary to Mr. McAdoo.

All was pleasant as a May morning until the vision from the West breezed into the office and took a seat near Mr. Newton's desk.

"Good morning," said Mr. Newton, walking to where she sat.

"Are you McAdoo?" she demanded.

"No, but I'm his secretary. Can I do anything for you?"

"I want to see McAdoo," she retorted.

"But the secretary is very busy," said Mr. Newton. "About what did you wish to see him?"

"I want a job."

"Are you in the classified service?"

"What's that?"

"The civil service."

"No, and I don't want to be. I want to be a guide."

"I'm afraid you can't see Mr. McAdoo today."

"We'll see about that."

"Besides, we employ no women guides in the treasury."

"Well, it's time you were. The suffragettes are gaining ground every day. They demand recognition."

By this time the Oklahoman was considerably excited and a rapid-fire argument with Mr. Newton followed. She demanded repeatedly that she be taken to Mr. McAdoo's office and Mr. Newton was equally persistent.

When blows were in sight Mr. Newton succeeded in getting her out of the office by threats of calling the police.

#### The Pitiful Sequel.

The other day Senator John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, happened

to be in charge of the Democratic Tariff bill in the United States Senate and undertook to reply to some Republican criticisms. Senator Gronna, of North Dakota, called attention to the large number of important farm products on the free list, the effect of which would be injurious to American and all foreign agriculturalists, while the government would lose \$25,000,000 in revenue. Senator Williams admitted that he was not sure these additions to the free list would result in lower prices to consumers, and added: "What I mean is that extraneous conditions are at work that will keep prices up for a considerable time to come. I would not be surprised if present prices go higher in the future." And that is to be the pitiful sequel to all the Democratic clamor about the Tariff being responsible for the high cost of living.—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

#### Notice in Bankruptcy

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky.

In the matter of Alonzo S. Keown, bankrupt.

To the Creditors of Alonzo S. Keown, of Renfrow, in the County of Ohio and District aforesaid, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22d day of August, A. D., 1913, the said Alonzo S. Keown was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the law office of J. A. Dean, in Owensboro, Kentucky, on the 19th day of September, A. D., 1913, at 10 A. M., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Petition filed August 22, 1913.

J. A. DEAN,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Owensboro, Ky., September 5, 1913.

Running up and down stairs, sweeping and bending over making beds will not make a woman healthy or beautiful. She must get out of doors, walk a mile or two every day and take Chamberlain's Tablets to improve her digestion and regulate her bowels. For sale by all dealers.

#### Danger Ahead.

Old Lady—Here's a glass of delicious cool spring water, my poor man.

Tramp—I darent touch it, ma'am.

Old Lady—Why?

Tramp—Well, you see, it's like this, ma'am. I've got an iron constitution, an' if I drank water it would get rusty.

#### Agricultural Extension.

**GETTING MOST OUT OF MANURE.**  
Farmers should use the time in the fall after the busy cropping season is over to clean the manure and litter out of the horse and cow stalls, and the cattle, hog and sheep sheds, and haul out the remnants of old straw stacks and the tramped-down and rotting material surrounding them. All such material should be scattered on the land and now is the time to do it.

The winter feeding season will soon be here and this means the accumulation of a large amount of manure, which if correctly saved and applied is exceedingly valuable. Every hundred pounds of stable manure is worth 10 to 15 cents, every ton from \$2.00 to \$3.00. The liquid is more valuable than the solid and should therefore be saved by the use of ample bedding material.

Improper handling of manure results in great loss. Careful tests have shown that it loses half its value in six months if exposed to the weather in the ordinary manure pile. Care must be taken to prevent heating, leaching and waste of the urine. Most of this loss is prevented when stock such as cattle and horses, are fed in sheds, the manure being tightly compacted by the tramping of the stock, which excludes the air and prevents heating, the urine being saved by abundant bedding, and the sheltered situation preventing leaching by rains.

On account of sanitary considerations manure can not be allowed thus to accumulate in the dairy barn, in which case it should be removed to a shed or covered pit to prevent loss.

It pays to provide such protection for the cow manure, but if the dairyman does not have a shed or pit the manure should not be allowed to accumulate, but should be regularly hauled away and scattered.

One advantage of live stock farming is that it furnishes a supply of manure. The stock farmer keeps most of his farm in grass, hay and forage crops, and this means that plant food is kept in the soil and the land is prevented from washing. He carefully saves and applies the manure and his land grows more productive each year. Good crops can not be grown without manuring the land in some way—either by commercial fertilizers, green manure crops, or stable manure, and for Kentucky farms stable manure is by far the most profitable means of fertilizing.

The writer in his own farm practice has hauled and scattered many hundreds of loads of stable manure. Much of this was placed on washed,

thin, and gullied land, and on this land to-day are growing rank sods of grass.

Kentucky farmers have in the past failed badly in making the most of their stable manure. On thousands of farms there are fields that have been cropped for generations without the application of a single forkful of manure. With proper attention given to fertilization, with stable litter supplemented by the rational use of ground limestone and ground phosphate rock, and with good rotation systems the crop yield of the state could be doubled in the next generation.

Undoubtedly our farmers will find this work highly profitable. In a recent address in Kentucky, Dr. C. G. Hopkins, of Illinois, said "There is no investment which an honest man can make which will pay so high returns as time and money spent judiciously in land improvement", and it might be added that there is no method of soil improvement available to Kentucky farmers so sure as the hauling and scattering of stable manure, and now is the time to do it.

W. D. NICHOLLS,  
Dairy Dept. College of Agriculture,  
Kentucky State University.

#### Demonstration in Use of Hog Cholera at State Fair.

Arrangements have been made with the State Commissioner of Agriculture Experiment Station will give a practical demonstration in the method of administering hog cholera serum, at the State Fair. This demonstration will be given on Thursday, September 18, at 10 a. m., on the State Fair grounds, and should prove of interest to all farmers and hog raisers in the State. In addition to the demonstration, practical talks will be given on hog cholera, its diagnosis and post mortem lessons, the care of sick and well hogs, the work of the hog cholera serum laboratory and State and Federal laws governing the quarantine and control of hog cholera, by Dr. Robert Graham, Dr. J. H. Kastis, Director of the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station, Commissioner John W. Newman, and others. Altogether this meeting promises to be one of great interest to all farmers and hog raisers and should prove one of the most instructive and valuable features of the State Fair.

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